

# MONTHLY MOTOR FUEL REPORTED BY STATES

## JANUARY 1998

### NATIONAL GASOLINE SALES JANUARY 1997 vs. 1998

(Trends not available; see narrative inside.)



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# Motor Fuel Trends

## Gasoline Sales

The source of the fuel volume data presented in this report is the records of State fuel-tax agencies. This source normally provides high quality data suitable for discerning national trends in fuel sales. A number of the State reports submitted for January reflect the impact of delays in processing and reporting fuel-tax returns. As a result, we are not attempting to display national trends in this issue.

The gasoline volume shown in this report is a cumulative tabulation of gross volume reported by wholesale distributors to State motor fuel tax agencies. It includes highway use, nonhighway use and losses. There is a lag of up to 6 weeks between the wholesale transactions reported and retail sales to consumers. Travel trends are reported monthly in *Traffic Volume Trends* based on actual traffic counts at permanent traffic recorders operated by the State highway agencies and, thus, reflect only highway use of fuel. The vehicle-miles reported include all vehicles, regardless of fuel type. While data in both reports reflect changes in trends, large monthly changes can be caused by exceptional weather conditions, variations in timing of holidays, or processing delays.

## Motor Fuel Taxation

All States levy volume taxes on gasoline and diesel fuel. The rates in effect for 1998 are shown in Table MF-121T. The gasoline rates vary from a low of 7.5 cents per gallon to 36 cents with an average of 19.94 cents. Five States provide for full or partial exemptions for gasohol, a blend of 90 percent gasoline and 10 percent fuel alcohol. Diesel fuel rates vary from 7.5 cents to 30.8 cents per gallon.

Traditionally, State fuel tax rates could only be changed with legislation, but 11 States now have variable rate motor fuel taxes. These taxes are adjusted at specified intervals—annually, semiannually, or quarterly—usually on the basis of an index or formula specified in the enabling legislation. These States are identified in the notes on Table MF-121T. Adjustments to variable rate taxes are announced by State tax agencies shortly before the effective date of the change. In addition to rate changes under variable rate tax laws, the following rate changes are anticipated through the end of 1999:

Connecticut	Effective 7/1/98, the tax rates for gasoline and gasohol is scheduled to decrease by 3 cents.
North Dakota	Effective through 12/31/99, the tax rate of 20 cents for gasoline and diesel has been extended.
Wyoming	Effective 7/1/98 through 6/30/00, the tax rates for gasoline and special fuel will increase by 5 cents.

# COMPARISON OF GROSS VOLUME OF GASOLINE REPORTED BY STATES <sup>1</sup>

TABLE MF-33G  
APRIL 1998

STATE	(GALLONS)								
	JANUARY 1998 (25 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		FEBRUARY 1998 (7 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		MARCH 1998 (1 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE	
	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>
Alabama	185,490,867	185,490,867	1.0	179,033,114	364,523,981	1.1	-	-	-
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arkansas	106,773,093	106,773,093	-6.7	107,747,451	214,520,544	-1.9	-	-	-
California	1,109,059,000	1,109,059,000	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colorado	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Connecticut	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Delaware	28,001,461	28,001,461	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dist. of Col.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	33,294,161	33,294,161	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Illinois	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	116,321,974	116,321,974	-0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kansas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kentucky	124,672,470	124,672,470	-22.4	200,844,909	325,517,379	4.9	-	-	-
Louisiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maryland	180,340,120	180,340,120	-1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	434,487,758	434,487,758	23.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mississippi	70,931,634	70,931,634	-32.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Missouri	226,996,413	226,996,413	-1.9	227,563,676	454,560,089	1.2	-	-	-
Montana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	64,990,458	64,990,458	-1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nevada	66,467,711	66,467,711	3.3	63,185,946	129,653,657	2.6	72,541,688	202,195,345	2.5
New Hampshire	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Jersey	384,336,876	384,336,876	23.1	285,864,371	670,201,247	14.8	-	-	-
New Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New York	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Carolina	310,466,856	310,466,856	-0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Dakota	23,894,794	23,894,794	-6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ohio	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oklahoma	147,252,581	147,252,581	11.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oregon	84,479,934	84,479,934	-22.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rhode Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Dakota	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee	226,069,738	226,069,738	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Texas	798,991,694	798,991,694	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Utah	73,220,265	73,220,265	-0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vermont	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia	271,721,606	271,721,606	-6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washington	192,165,850	192,165,850	-3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Virginia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	189,825,215	189,825,215	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wyoming	28,395,299	28,395,299	62.3	20,279,240	48,674,539	13.1	-	-	-
U.S. Total <sup>2/</sup>	5,478,647,828	5,478,647,828	NA3	1,084,518,707	2,207,651,436	NA3	72,541,688	202,195,345	NA3
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Total <sup>2/</sup>	5,478,647,828	5,478,647,828	NA3	1,084,518,707	2,207,651,436	NA3	72,541,688	202,195,345	NA3

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	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/
Alabama	183,726,918	183,726,918	-0.7	176,823,408	360,550,326	1.2	198,635,119	559,185,445	2.3
Alaska	20,858,408	20,858,408	-13.6	18,009,714	38,868,122	-10.9	21,286,532	60,154,654	-8.4
Arizona	164,616,123	164,616,123	4.5	159,380,316	323,996,439	-4.1	184,376,342	508,372,781	-4.7
Arkansas	114,403,230	114,403,230	44.6	104,348,590	218,751,820	9.6	112,652,855	331,404,675	14.4
California	1,074,099,000	1,074,099,000	1.6	1,004,128,000	2,078,227,000	-1.9	1,139,539,000	3,217,766,000	-1.9
Colorado	143,347,068	143,347,068	4.8	134,464,462	277,811,530	1.7	153,408,778	431,220,308	2.5
Connecticut	119,813,904	119,813,904	5.4	108,481,892	228,295,796	1.6	126,932,318	355,228,114	3.8
Delaware	27,991,392	27,991,392	9.3	26,211,492	54,202,884	4.6	29,101,255	83,304,139	3.4
Dist. of Col.	14,012,513	14,012,513	10.0	12,774,978	26,787,491	1.1	14,923,316	41,710,807	-0.5
Florida	577,565,572	577,565,572	1.3	574,873,604	1,152,439,176	1.5	557,059,573	1,709,498,749	0.5
Georgia	346,820,801	346,820,801	4.7	326,596,745	673,417,546	3.0	370,161,214	1,043,578,760	2.8
Hawaii	32,388,843	32,388,843	-4.9	32,010,632	64,399,475	1.3	30,118,310	94,517,785	-7.0
Idaho	43,921,628	43,921,628	-1.3	47,807,881	91,729,509	-0.3	35,227,703	126,957,212	-7.1
Illinois	386,169,809	386,169,809	0.8	346,472,761	732,642,570	-1.8	422,563,529	1,155,206,099	5.2
Indiana	229,405,624	229,405,624	11.0	217,062,492	446,468,116	0.3	228,061,044	674,529,160	-2.1
Iowa	117,397,820	117,397,820	2.6	115,534,363	232,932,183	3.4	120,862,760	353,794,943	2.9
Kansas	107,392,026	107,392,026	5.4	96,894,761	204,286,787	1.5	113,376,669	317,663,456	2.7
Kentucky	160,596,078	160,596,078	9.1	149,815,562	310,411,640	1.6	177,538,927	487,950,567	3.4
Louisiana	148,566,590	148,566,590	-11.0	151,403,022	299,969,612	-7.7	81,422,363	381,391,975	-23.6
Maine	30,922,118	30,922,118	-62.2	90,522,850	121,444,968	-8.8	35,291,513	156,736,481	-3.9
Maryland	183,022,825	183,022,825	16.0	167,205,265	350,228,090	8.9	187,242,721	537,470,811	6.5
Massachusetts	208,287,378	208,287,378	3.8	189,968,937	398,256,315	1.1	212,833,662	611,089,977	2.2
Michigan	350,695,456	350,695,456	-6.0	358,283,615	708,979,071	-0.9	344,756,819	1,053,735,890	-1.0
Minnesota	183,639,875	183,639,875	-1.1	170,662,103	354,301,978	-2.0	183,235,572	537,537,550	-2.0
Mississippi	105,021,875	105,021,875	-12.0	117,235,774	222,257,649	-0.1	124,628,325	346,885,974	2.3
Missouri	231,397,863	231,397,863	3.5	217,743,521	449,141,384	0.9	243,568,200	692,709,584	-0.2
Montana	33,682,852	33,682,852	-2.5	30,755,155	64,438,007	-7.1	35,390,900	99,828,907	-9.7
Nebraska	66,004,545	66,004,545	3.1	57,705,180	123,709,725	-0.8	68,523,454	192,233,179	0.8
Nevada	64,363,081	64,363,081	4.3	62,024,323	126,387,404	3.6	70,835,596	197,223,000	4.8
New Hampshire	49,199,434	49,199,434	3.1	44,422,851	93,622,285	0.6	49,026,596	142,648,881	2.4
New Jersey	312,302,190	312,302,190	16.2	271,416,467	583,718,657	7.9	309,303,886	893,022,543	5.7
New Mexico	63,693,117	63,693,117	-13.9	67,150,157	130,843,274	-13.0	74,070,576	204,913,850	-8.1
New York	418,653,871	418,653,871	-7.9	413,463,100	832,116,971	-6.4	475,539,759	1,307,656,730	-3.1
North Carolina	311,631,833	311,631,833	11.7	281,850,097	593,481,930	7.7	325,401,187	918,883,117	5.8
North Dakota	25,461,481	25,461,481	-3.6	22,954,080	48,415,561	-6.6	27,303,840	75,719,401	-3.3
Ohio	395,316,815	395,316,815	-1.7	363,109,276	758,426,091	-1.5	418,337,343	1,176,763,434	1.1
Oklahoma	132,314,900	132,314,900	-9.5	129,858,089	262,172,989	-9.1	149,364,316	411,537,305	-6.9
Oregon	108,277,775	108,277,775	-2.9	126,815,146	235,092,921	10.2	117,496,012	352,588,933	1.6
Pennsylvania	388,298,860	388,298,860	11.5	352,342,011	740,640,871	4.0	398,404,058	1,139,044,929	1.3
Rhode Island	31,441,516	31,441,516	1.0	31,441,516	62,883,032	1.0	31,441,517	94,324,549	1.0
South Carolina	161,747,708	161,747,708	8.5	154,497,239	316,244,947	6.0	178,250,469	494,495,416	8.3
South Dakota	29,412,243	29,412,243	1.8	27,513,943	56,926,186	-1.8	31,508,789	88,434,975	-0.8
Tennessee	224,382,137	224,382,137	-2.4	201,566,961	425,949,098	2.3	227,382,316	653,331,414	0.6
Texas	756,845,447	756,845,447	-3.1	734,864,669	1,491,710,116	-2.7	837,406,852	2,329,116,968	-1.5
Utah	73,393,151	73,393,151	5.1	68,603,909	141,997,060	2.9	75,744,972	217,742,032	3.1
Vermont	27,137,555	27,137,555	3.7	24,609,141	51,746,696	6.4	23,612,019	75,358,715	2.2
Virginia	290,701,007	290,701,007	24.6	234,757,806	525,458,813	8.0	266,570,566	792,029,379	2.4
Washington	199,709,007	199,709,007	4.1	156,902,919	356,611,926	-11.7	244,926,142	601,538,068	-3.6
West Virginia	56,558,625	56,558,625	10.6	58,993,365	115,551,990	5.9	70,034,528	185,586,518	6.7
Wisconsin	184,675,071	184,675,071	-1.1	170,072,175	354,747,246	-3.0	189,783,782	544,531,028	-1.7
Wyoming	17,491,265	17,491,265	-37.8	25,561,238	43,052,503	-18.3	28,631,702	71,684,205	-4.1
U.S. Total 2/	9,728,776,223	9,728,776,223	1.8	9,227,967,553	18,956,743,776	-0.1	10,173,095,596	29,129,839,372	0.2
Puerto Rico	58,766,687	58,766,687	-32.9	78,173,062	136,939,749	-31.3	95,293,056	232,232,805	-17.5
Grand Total 2/	9,787,542,910	9,787,542,910	1.5	9,306,140,615	19,093,683,525	-0.4	10,268,388,652	29,362,072,177	0.0

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	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>
Alabama	201,302,164	760,487,609	1.9	206,766,198	967,253,807	1.3	193,508,621	1,160,762,428	1.1
Alaska	20,945,179	81,099,833	-6.0	26,164,948	107,264,781	-2.4	28,688,031	135,952,812	-1.2
Arizona	181,836,112	690,208,893	-2.9	179,826,394	870,035,287	-1.0	157,023,391	1,027,058,678	-1.4
Arkansas	121,943,579	453,348,254	9.1	132,664,422	586,012,676	9.6	120,050,430	706,063,106	3.2
California	1,133,610,000	4,351,376,000	-1.2	1,228,380,000	5,579,756,000	0.9	1,257,408,000	6,837,164,000	2.9
Colorado	147,146,897	578,367,205	2.5	158,401,648	736,768,853	2.5	162,108,111	898,876,964	2.7
Connecticut	126,978,602	482,206,716	5.7	127,316,055	609,522,771	6.4	122,810,348	732,333,119	6.6
Delaware	29,842,818	113,146,957	2.3	49,266,509	162,413,466	-0.0	12,095,978	174,509,444	0.1
Dist. of Col.	14,724,053	56,434,860	-0.9	15,300,301	71,735,161	-0.8	15,040,661	86,775,822	-0.7
Florida	630,045,361	2,339,544,110	1.1	585,247,883	2,924,791,993	1.0	589,607,546	3,514,399,539	1.2
Georgia	367,155,620	1,410,734,380	3.0	355,566,896	1,766,301,276	1.4	366,602,216	2,132,903,492	1.6
Hawaii	36,839,282	131,357,067	-3.2	34,791,273	166,148,340	0.8	33,977,485	200,125,825	0.5
Idaho	48,691,544	175,648,756	-4.1	41,024,922	216,673,678	-11.2	44,772,406	261,446,084	-6.4
Illinois	419,708,361	1,574,914,850	3.0	410,039,472	1,984,954,322	2.8	411,208,175	2,396,162,497	2.6
Indiana	250,305,205	924,834,365	-1.0	264,760,947	1,189,595,312	-0.5	253,135,123	1,442,730,435	-0.7
Iowa	126,853,822	1,116,059,765	137.7	136,008,453	1,252,068,218	110.4	130,326,902	1,382,395,120	91.7
Kansas	112,673,675	430,337,131	2.6	117,971,191	548,308,322	2.5	119,209,623	667,517,945	2.6
Kentucky	175,789,726	510,594,837	-21.5	244,559,725	755,154,562	-8.9	175,260,109	930,414,671	-7.5
Louisiana	172,575,531	553,967,506	-17.0	182,774,353	736,741,859	-24.6	162,633,099	899,374,958	-11.1
Maine	67,358,201	224,094,682	-1.4	50,370,073	274,464,755	-1.7	55,026,644	329,491,399	2.4
Maryland	186,465,285	723,936,096	4.2	198,213,284	922,149,380	4.3	184,679,806	1,106,829,186	3.1
Massachusetts	206,275,441	817,365,418	1.6	224,947,326	1,042,312,744	1.5	224,071,306	1,266,384,050	1.7
Michigan	387,912,256	1,441,648,146	-0.6	417,133,916	1,858,782,062	-0.3	504,312,214	2,363,094,276	4.3
Minnesota	188,570,563	726,108,113	0.1	208,167,566	934,275,679	0.3	206,892,070	1,141,167,749	0.5
Mississippi	115,579,540	462,465,514	-1.5	146,412,462	608,877,976	12.7	121,970,355	730,848,331	1.8
Illinois	242,949,683	935,659,267	0.5	276,565,263	1,212,224,530	0.4	257,902,735	1,470,127,265	0.5
Montana	36,844,948	136,673,855	-10.4	43,064,854	179,738,709	-7.0	44,814,911	224,553,620	-6.0
Nebraska	67,132,256	259,365,435	0.6	73,389,733	332,755,168	1.3	72,578,066	405,333,234	1.3
Nevada	71,024,886	268,247,886	5.3	72,933,082	323,127,388	-	71,809,942	412,990,910	5.4
New Hampshire	47,366,680	190,015,561	2.9	51,732,465	241,748,026	2.7	52,699,593	294,447,619	3.1
New Jersey	310,295,610	1,203,318,153	4.9	319,951,771	1,523,269,924	5.7	310,326,886	1,833,596,810	4.4
New Mexico	77,157,863	282,071,713	-4.4	68,369,283	350,440,996	-5.7	89,969,110	440,410,106	-1.2
New York	425,654,249	1,733,310,979	-1.1	479,722,146	2,213,033,125	-2.3	500,825,583	2,713,858,708	-1.4
North Carolina	323,870,681	1,242,753,798	4.9	341,846,132	1,584,599,930	4.4	317,877,057	1,902,476,987	3.8
North Dakota	28,188,723	103,908,124	-4.1	35,676,383	139,584,507	-0.2	33,850,887	173,435,394	-0.2
Ohio	418,204,516	1,594,967,950	1.8	444,444,876	2,039,412,826	2.2	438,966,851	2,478,379,677	2.5
Oklahoma	160,284,232	571,821,537	-4.9	162,126,453	733,947,990	-4.5	157,300,769	891,248,759	-5.3
Oregon	117,517,451	470,106,384	0.2	135,759,707	605,866,091	2.5	139,377,075	745,243,166	2.6
Pennsylvania	504,043,459	1,643,088,388	9.0	413,361,032	2,056,449,420	6.4	399,908,018	2,456,357,438	4.1
Rhode Island	33,167,678	127,492,227	1.5	33,167,678	160,659,905	1.8	33,167,678	193,827,583	2.0
South Carolina	175,317,221	669,812,637	9.9	181,556,676	851,369,313	7.0	175,070,788	1,026,440,101	5.5
South Dakota	37,962,421	126,397,396	2.3	35,073,501	161,470,897	0.2	40,408,340	201,879,237	-0.1
Tennessee	236,679,367	890,010,781	1.1	242,897,383	1,132,908,164	1.5	253,432,715	1,386,340,879	1.8
Texas	813,248,309	3,142,365,277	-1.2	863,720,354	4,006,085,631	-1.1	840,452,232	4,846,537,863	-0.3
Utah	78,856,608	296,598,640	3.2	88,482,694	385,081,334	5.6	84,163,218	445,522,001	-
Vermont	23,927,669	99,286,384	2.0	28,926,884	128,213,268	1.9	27,403,576	155,616,844	4.0
Virginia	308,559,896	1,100,589,275	4.5	273,850,111	1,374,439,386	4.5	304,429,578	1,678,868,964	4.0
Washington	215,059,450	816,597,518	-3.4	225,589,350	1,042,186,868	-2.4	224,820,606	1,267,007,474	-2.1
West Virginia	69,417,337	255,003,855	5.4	59,587,974	314,591,829	3.5	82,189,854	396,781,683	4.5
Wisconsin	184,258,425	728,789,453	-1.8	212,598,116	941,387,569	-1.7	206,315,689	1,147,703,258	-1.1
Wyoming	20,596,001	92,280,206	-4.6	27,091,278	119,371,484	-1.4	27,091,278	146,462,762	1.0
U.S. Total <sup>2/</sup>	10,498,714,826	40,110,819,742	2.1	10,933,561,396	51,026,327,558	2.0	10,839,571,685	61,860,230,272	2.4
Puerto Rico	78,451,351	310,684,156	-11.8	95,223,633	405,907,789	-9.0	109,059,962	514,967,751	-5.2
Grand Total <sup>2/</sup>	10,577,166,177	40,421,503,898	2.0	11,028,785,029	51,432,235,347	1.9	10,948,631,647	62,375,198,023	2.3

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STATE	(GALLONS)								
	JULY 1997 (51 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		AUGUST 1997 (49 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		SEPTEMBER 1997 (48 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE	
	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE <sup>2/</sup>
Alabama	213,109,601	1,373,872,029	1.2	204,481,652	1,578,353,681	0.9	193,965,637	1,772,319,318	1.2
Alaska	24,826,359	160,779,171	-4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona	176,455,435	1,203,514,113	-0.4	176,449,022	1,379,963,135	0.6	154,371,623	1,534,334,758	-0.9
Arkansas	128,400,614	834,463,720	4.2	124,738,244	959,201,964	9.1	113,780,522	1,072,982,486	2.8
California	1,201,902,000	8,039,066,000	2.7	1,195,902,000	9,234,968,000	2.4	1,128,023,000	10,362,991,000	2.7
Colorado	177,240,755	1,076,117,719	2.9	170,976,715	1,247,094,434	2.5	159,479,459	1,406,573,893	2.8
Connecticut	128,767,360	861,100,479	7.3	123,345,962	984,446,441	6.9	120,028,017	1,104,474,458	7.3
Delaware	33,202,963	207,712,407	0.0	35,207,403	242,919,810	0.5	31,184,708	274,104,518	1.1
Dist. of Col.	16,456,225	103,232,047	6.7	14,781,406	118,013,453	5.6	14,025,358	132,038,811	4.9
Florida	559,296,903	4,073,696,442	1.2	584,961,269	4,658,657,711	1.4	583,263,064	5,241,920,775	1.5
Georgia	380,900,038	2,513,803,530	1.8	377,279,327	2,891,082,857	1.7	355,419,782	3,246,502,639	2.1
Hawaii	35,019,021	235,144,846	0.7	35,522,642	270,667,488	-1.7	33,578,021	304,245,509	-1.4
Idaho	57,152,934	318,599,018	-2.0	37,891,796	356,490,814	-6.8	70,765,854	427,256,668	-4.0
Illinois	415,250,962	2,811,413,393	2.8	397,155,996	3,208,569,389	2.0	405,880,236	5,241,920,775	2.3
Indiana	267,131,792	1,709,862,227	-0.5	269,703,789	1,979,566,016	-0.6	245,060,503	2,224,626,519	1.2
Iowa	140,991,713	1,523,386,833	77.0	132,803,777	1,656,190,610	59.3	120,462,721	1,776,653,331	53.4
Kansas	125,022,916	792,540,861	2.8	121,568,190	914,109,051	2.7	119,141,599	1,033,250,650	3.7
Kentucky	178,265,044	1,108,679,715	-6.9	174,343,526	1,283,023,241	4.3	189,701,300	1,472,724,541	6.5
Louisiana	188,321,663	1,087,696,621	-17.1	192,116,580	1,279,813,201	-20.2	163,945,136	1,443,758,337	-12.4
Maine	70,071,217	399,562,616	-0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maryland	200,561,066	1,307,390,252	3.2	197,333,423	1,504,723,675	2.9	179,827,007	1,684,550,682	2.7
Massachusetts	232,395,943	1,498,779,993	2.1	232,844,036	1,731,624,029	1.8	-	-	-
Michigan	451,566,499	2,814,660,775	4.3	1,193,076	2,815,853,851	-10.2	4,250,604	2,820,104,455	-20.0
Minnesota	227,705,661	1,368,873,410	1.7	213,864,096	1,582,737,506	1.0	198,856,799	1,781,594,305	1.1
Mississippi	151,608,717	882,457,048	2.9	119,073,151	1,001,530,199	1.7	140,758,217	1,142,288,416	4.0
Illinois	275,449,581	1,745,576,846	2.7	267,252,947	2,012,829,793	0.5	245,472,499	2,258,302,292	0.8
Montana	52,890,661	277,444,281	-5.3	52,723,003	330,167,284	-4.2	42,612,599	372,779,883	-3.6
Nebraska	80,794,250	486,127,484	2.0	75,000,888	561,128,372	1.6	70,130,481	631,258,853	2.2
Nevada	76,452,216	489,443,126	5.3	77,588,069	567,031,195	5.2	69,816,862	636,848,057	5.1
New Hampshire	59,549,110	353,996,729	4.0	59,777,644	413,774,373	4.2	52,977,765	466,752,138	4.9
New Jersey	324,315,190	2,157,912,000	4.0	326,950,619	2,484,862,619	3.0	316,363,571	2,801,226,190	3.3
New Mexico	66,341,034	506,751,140	-3.2	87,745,542	594,496,682	0.0	81,348,986	675,845,668	0.2
New York	492,457,732	3,206,316,440	-0.1	474,676,826	3,680,993,266	-0.8	511,547,283	4,192,540,549	0.6
North Carolina	348,463,127	2,250,940,114	3.7	344,573,797	2,595,513,911	3.4	320,139,283	2,915,653,194	3.4
North Dakota	36,879,454	210,314,848	0.0	37,610,439	247,925,287	-0.5	32,649,004	280,574,291	-0.1
Ohio	504,947,402	2,983,327,079	4.3	493,684,172	3,477,011,251	5.2	465,751,557	3,942,762,808	6.9
Oklahoma	163,488,811	1,054,737,570	-4.4	156,922,861	1,211,660,431	-4.2	146,131,132	1,357,791,563	-4.3
Oregon	131,673,768	876,916,934	1.1	145,977,479	1,022,894,413	2.7	131,604,156	1,154,498,569	1.3
Pennsylvania	417,660,736	2,874,018,174	3.1	421,084,435	3,295,102,609	2.0	395,300,590	3,690,403,199	1.8
Rhode Island	33,637,204	227,464,787	2.0	33,637,204	261,101,991	2.0	33,637,206	294,739,197	2.0
South Carolina	188,974,804	1,215,414,905	5.2	186,252,081	1,401,666,986	4.8	170,244,538	1,571,911,524	5.6
South Dakota	45,992,306	247,871,543	-0.3	44,505,210	292,376,753	-0.8	37,099,184	329,475,937	-0.1
Tennessee	255,434,140	1,641,775,019	1.4	251,445,136	1,893,220,155	1.6	235,706,130	2,128,926,285	1.9
Texas	829,709,420	5,676,247,283	-0.7	777,682,678	6,453,929,961	-1.7	695,499,891	7,149,429,852	-2.8
Utah	85,667,727	554,912,279	4.8	87,697,116	642,609,395	4.2	78,810,239	721,419,634	4.1
Vermont	31,353,952	186,970,796	4.1	29,688,228	216,659,024	2.6	27,376,022	244,035,046	2.9
Virginia	291,861,939	1,970,730,903	1.5	318,772,751	2,289,503,654	2.4	286,465,609	2,575,969,263	2.8
Washington	237,001,764	1,504,009,238	-1.7	225,119,933	1,729,129,171	-2.3	233,796,655	1,962,925,826	-1.5
West Virginia	73,610,619	470,392,302	3.6	75,194,056	545,586,358	5.0	68,709,392	614,295,750	2.6
Wisconsin	233,130,041	1,380,833,299	-0.3	219,657,093	1,600,490,392	-1.2	201,331,028	1,801,821,420	-0.7
Wyoming	21,988,999	168,451,761	-3.9	28,924,625	197,376,386	-3.6	28,352,740	225,729,126	-8.3
U.S. Total <sup>2/</sup>	11,141,349,322	73,025,302,145	2.2	10,433,681,910	82,898,642,268	1.4	9,704,643,569	90,871,661,808	1.3
Puerto Rico	75,686,940	590,654,691	-5.3	91,605,101	682,259,792	-5.0	-	-	-
Grand Total <sup>2/</sup>	11,217,036,262	73,615,956,836	2.2	10,525,287,011	83,580,902,060	1.3	9,704,643,569	90,871,661,808	1.3

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	OCTOBER 1997 (45 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		NOVEMBER 1997 (42 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE		DECEMBER 1997 (36 STATES)	CALENDAR YEAR CUMULATIVE	
	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/	VOLUME	VOLUME	PERCENT CHANGE 2/
Alabama	205,105,795	1,977,425,113	1.3	184,896,646	2,162,321,759	1.1	205,570,582	2,367,892,341	1.3
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona	181,813,558	1,716,148,316	-0.9	176,124,206	1,892,272,522	-0.9	-	-	-
Arkansas	34,933,942	1,107,916,428	3.1	201,764,793	1,309,681,221	5.6	118,607,810	1,428,289,031	3.3
California	1,183,674,000	11,546,665,000	2.7	1,004,919,000	12,551,584,000	1.3	1,171,136,000	13,722,720,000	1.5
Colorado	162,333,930	1,568,907,823	2.2	150,051,106	1,718,958,929	2.4	155,857,005	1,874,815,934	1.8
Connecticut	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Delaware	32,069,823	306,174,341	1.4	28,722,336	334,896,677	1.1	32,473,852	367,370,529	1.7
Dist. of Col.	14,963,057	147,001,868	4.0	14,368,386	161,370,254	4.2	14,179,167	175,549,421	3.5
Florida	544,360,206	5,786,280,981	1.6	582,138,467	6,368,419,448	1.8	560,592,988	6,929,012,436	1.6
Georgia	372,566,617	3,619,069,256	2.2	357,834,717	3,976,903,973	2.1	-	-	-
Hawaii	34,616,302	338,861,811	0.6	32,909,161	371,770,972	0.5	34,506,316	406,277,288	-0.9
Idaho	69,270,595	496,527,263	-2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Illinois	410,083,605	4,024,533,230	2.0	397,566,282	4,422,099,512	1.7	413,902,916	4,836,002,428	1.9
Indiana	263,496,340	2,488,122,859	1.2	240,904,016	2,729,026,875	-0.2	-	-	-
Iowa	140,151,388	1,916,804,719	48.4	120,631,888	2,037,436,607	44.0	128,141,894	2,165,578,501	40.6
Kansas	114,759,694	1,148,010,344	3.2	62,938,054	1,210,948,398	-0.9	-	-	-
Kentucky	113,136,853	1,585,861,394	3.0	226,766,387	1,812,627,781	4.6	183,032,638	1,995,660,419	7.0
Louisiana	171,303,798	1,615,062,135	-16.6	181,549,167	1,796,611,302	-8.9	202,370,898	1,998,982,200	-7.9
Maine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maryland	198,720,789	1,883,271,471	2.8	184,942,874	2,068,214,345	2.4	190,629,694	2,258,844,039	2.5
Massachusetts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	1,188,603,744	4,008,708,199	1.6	392,383,773	4,401,091,972	1.4	417,929,331	4,819,021,303	1.7
Minnesota	215,595,722	1,997,190,027	1.8	189,334,967	2,186,524,994	1.4	202,580,731	2,389,105,725	1.5
Mississippi	128,897,530	1,271,185,946	4.3	84,844,461	1,356,030,407	1.6	-	-	-
Missouri	258,167,448	2,516,469,740	0.6	253,159,905	2,769,629,645	0.9	258,465,561	3,028,095,206	1.0
Montana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	74,559,274	705,818,127	2.0	67,714,263	773,532,390	1.8	70,520,039	844,052,429	1.9
Nevada	73,635,118	710,483,175	5.0	67,076,318	777,559,493	4.9	71,170,507	848,730,000	5.1
New Hampshire	56,417,296	523,169,434	5.2	49,744,762	572,914,196	5.1	53,623,259	626,537,455	5.4
New Jersey	331,956,714	3,133,182,904	3.5	310,689,390	3,443,872,294	3.2	326,780,514	3,770,652,808	3.3
New Mexico	20,781,724	696,627,392	-3.7	127,997,093	824,624,485	0.4	150,178,893	974,803,378	9.1
New York	484,991,118	4,677,531,667	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Carolina	341,846,344	3,257,499,538	3.3	309,902,602	3,567,402,140	2.8	336,415,060	3,903,817,200	3.0
North Dakota	28,856,298	309,430,589	-1.4	30,706,266	340,136,855	-1.4	29,210,367	369,347,222	-1.4
Ohio	487,722,589	4,430,485,397	7.6	451,152,975	4,881,638,372	7.8	473,850,380	5,355,488,752	8.1
Oklahoma	236,788,863	1,594,580,426	1.2	155,783,209	1,750,363,635	1.8	-	-	-
Oregon	115,318,352	1,269,816,921	1.6	34,040,836	1,303,857,757	-3.6	127,185,071	1,431,042,828	-4.5
Pennsylvania	424,142,128	4,114,545,327	1.6	393,727,098	4,508,272,425	1.1	416,443,146	4,924,715,571	1.2
Rhode Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina	180,218,067	1,752,129,591	4.6	168,931,195	1,921,060,786	4.2	179,141,644	2,100,202,430	4.3
South Dakota	39,712,066	369,188,003	-0.0	33,569,959	402,757,962	-0.3	34,387,701	437,145,663	0.1
Tennessee	242,434,051	2,371,360,336	2.6	232,469,784	2,603,830,120	2.1	240,909,015	2,844,739,135	2.1
Texas	843,436,081	7,992,865,933	-2.4	751,475,960	8,744,341,893	-2.8	826,128,438	9,570,470,331	-2.7
Utah	84,644,634	806,064,268	4.1	72,986,102	879,050,370	3.7	80,323,773	959,374,143	3.9
Vermont	29,776,309	273,811,355	3.2	24,473,974	298,285,329	2.6	27,799,044	326,084,373	3.8
Virginia	291,352,983	2,867,322,246	1.8	253,730,946	3,121,053,192	1.1	339,348,375	3,460,401,567	2.8
Washington	219,648,558	2,182,574,384	-1.5	211,087,462	2,393,661,846	-1.4	214,766,229	2,608,428,075	-0.8
West Virginia	45,229,822	659,525,572	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	218,615,386	2,020,436,806	-0.2	185,549,115	2,205,985,921	-0.9	198,831,957	2,404,817,878	-0.9
Wyoming	45,855,495	271,584,621	-5.9	28,326,166	299,910,787	-5.3	28,704,901	328,615,688	-4.7
U.S. Total 2/	10,956,564,006	100,056,232,276	2.0	9,029,886,067	103,252,533,841	1.8	8,515,695,696	98,852,683,727	2.1
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Total 2/	10,956,564,006	100,056,232,276	2.0	9,029,886,067	103,252,533,841	1.8	8,515,695,696	98,852,683,727	2.1

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STATE	JANUARY (23 STATES)	FEBRUARY (7 STATES)	MARCH (1 STATES)	APRIL (0 STATES)	MAY (0 STATES)	JUNE (0 STATES)	JULY (0 STATES)	AUGUST (0 STATES)	SEPTEMBER (0 STATES)	OCTOBER (0 STATES)	NOVEMBER (0 STATES)	DECEMBER (0 STATES)	TOTAL 2/
Alabama	46,157,200	72,537,776	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	118,694,976
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arkansas	41,517,999	45,765,198	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	87,283,197
California	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colorado	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Connecticut	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Delaware	4,605,534	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,605,534
Dist. of Col.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	2,653,461	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,653,461
Idaho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Illinois	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iowa	38,109,078	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38,109,078
Kansas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kentucky	27,242,554	69,242,105	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	96,484,659
Louisiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maryland	28,270,348	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,270,348
Massachusetts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michigan	73,120,808	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73,120,808
Minnesota	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mississippi	36,806,237	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36,806,237
Missouri	70,034,648	62,185,859	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	132,220,507
Montana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nebraska	34,629,314	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34,629,314
Nevada	19,888,438	17,777,269	16,855,398	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54,521,105
New Hampshire	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Jersey	59,134,545	52,999,481	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	112,134,026
New Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
New York	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Carolina	71,553,373	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71,553,373
North Dakota	6,591,350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,591,350
Ohio	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oklahoma	84,693,515	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	84,693,515
Oregon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rhode Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Dakota	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee	74,635,572	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74,635,572
Texas	188,093,615	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188,093,615
Utah	23,452,604	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,452,604
Vermont	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia	70,311,711	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70,311,711
Washington	30,498,292	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30,498,292
West Virginia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin	50,623,591	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50,623,591
Wyoming	28,102,010	13,004,521	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41,106,531
U.S. Total 2/	1,110,725,797	333,512,209	16,855,398	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,461,093,404
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Total 2/	1,110,725,797	333,512,209	16,855,398	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,461,093,404

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# MONTHLY SPECIAL FUEL REPORTED BY STATES - 1997<sup>1</sup>

COMPILED FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR  
FROM STATE FUEL-TAX REPORTS

(GALLONS)

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STATE	JANUARY (50 STATES)	FEBRUARY (50 STATES)	MARCH (50 STATES)	APRIL (50 STATES)	MAY (50 STATES)	JUNE (50 STATES)	JULY (50 STATES)	AUGUST (48 STATES)	SEPTEMBER (47 STATES)	OCTOBER (44 STATES)	NOVEMBER (41 STATES)	DECEMBER (35 STATES)	TOTAL 2/
Alabama	39,682,610	60,010,191	46,914,145	49,093,934	82,854,579	45,337,991	46,283,437	74,663,902	49,185,913	53,315,975	65,537,755	46,984,902	659,865,334
Alaska	3,118,245	815,287	3,939,856	4,269,059	3,700,695	5,001,810	14,253,105	-	-	-	-	-	35,098,057
Arizona	63,245,829	43,670,249	54,389,386	60,436,748	57,305,320	71,784,642	58,432,422	55,315,996	58,030,950	57,324,633	59,760,808	-	639,696,983
Arkansas	47,428,036	40,281,147	37,056,021	52,026,092	40,489,903	40,260,565	50,411,982	38,731,799	52,771,967	12,886,905	83,954,494	38,413,389	534,712,300
California	150,792,000	158,904,000	197,467,000	187,650,000	219,735,000	204,717,000	208,803,000	200,705,000	203,067,000	211,269,000	144,237,000	210,501,000	2,297,847,000
Colorado	19,962,325	18,735,071	6,910,506	21,662,981	22,730,533	22,548,821	25,154,594	24,420,463	24,019,873	26,696,454	21,251,117	24,598,261	258,690,999
Connecticut	15,278,262	12,626,478	23,696,393	15,814,629	15,748,347	14,722,776	18,321,300	18,099,888	17,302,290	-	-	-	151,610,363
Delaware	4,197,451	5,342,527	4,581,572	5,168,589	5,732,152	4,734,702	4,836,804	6,278,088	5,887,703	4,833,598	6,428,198	5,508,399	63,529,783
Dist. of Col.	1,750,511	1,615,077	1,783,121	1,826,332	1,868,146	1,847,902	2,029,959	1,889,003	1,861,520	1,850,512	1,618,326	1,748,569	21,688,978
Florida	94,298,725	100,590,866	96,180,732	103,661,692	108,311,835	101,176,034	92,427,995	97,330,595	91,283,836	97,731,197	105,072,679	95,562,594	1,183,628,780
Georgia	96,117,126	73,095,718	102,070,791	99,253,299	92,397,517	97,422,360	102,940,441	91,440,111	73,831,256	123,918,138	107,812,018	-	1,060,298,775
Hawaii	1,903,237	2,564,373	1,969,495	2,631,706	2,924,114	2,002,569	2,091,659	2,651,052	2,843,149	2,622,550	2,361,687	2,229,369	28,794,960
Idaho	19,810,423	9,469,895	15,207,219	13,953,099	10,013,963	29,112,535	19,087,635	5,813,035	34,446,963	12,940,563	-	-	169,855,330
Illinois	78,245,866	67,877,365	71,584,197	81,716,699	77,924,843	74,286,922	73,739,798	76,198,735	79,820,710	90,418,758	85,057,777	84,845,715	941,717,385
Indiana	86,818,465	89,132,765	94,543,247	96,454,860	73,121,981	96,139,356	92,311,542	98,484,446	97,429,976	100,727,130	106,350,729	-	1,031,514,497
Iowa	39,136,225	38,961,157	30,596,052	42,751,902	41,163,959	32,045,606	40,083,032	42,598,554	30,846,447	49,977,101	42,399,178	30,231,216	460,790,429
Kansas	24,549,729	27,107,082	36,185,832	31,484,339	24,493,052	35,432,786	32,415,466	29,401,449	30,589,419	45,555,411	-	-	335,099,136
Kentucky	59,308,915	52,921,295	68,980,793	62,252,260	54,546,505	66,194,013	52,905,271	68,722,803	75,614,908	43,992,683	90,922,127	(11,727,517)	684,634,056
Louisiana	36,960,011	36,722,187	43,322,438	42,501,765	45,015,845	45,075,811	44,008,617	43,547,673	49,346,887	38,951,290	51,929,046	51,375,424	528,756,994
Maine	14,858,426	8,784,109	13,791,576	16,050,928	4,008,524	10,917,236	8,115,206	-	-	-	-	-	76,526,005
Maryland	28,677,107	27,475,495	30,852,599	32,412,183	32,833,818	31,640,646	32,110,564	30,179,017	31,253,580	34,046,302	30,033,529	31,443,014	372,957,854
Massachusetts	20,606,377	20,693,966	24,273,077	33,486,276	32,481,955	24,699,837	30,829,690	27,399,850	-	-	-	-	214,471,028
Michigan	61,187,455	58,275,806	53,748,390	69,401,803	72,609,097	76,205,781	74,907,407	65,804,703	68,668,929	82,196,044	69,044,014	64,886,396	816,935,825
Minnesota	37,837,020	32,516,044	38,714,483	38,676,794	41,439,842	43,730,403	44,862,233	39,520,804	52,184,594	50,368,828	38,971,411	46,209,270	505,031,726
Mississippi	29,122,172	33,293,105	32,198,444	122,133,716	161,444,095	33,273,317	142,048,316	34,034,831	41,443,628	38,848,633	30,769,054	-	698,609,311
Missouri	71,089,425	58,950,938	74,314,274	72,522,126	74,002,070	60,196,492	73,070,235	64,623,750	69,064,526	73,884,373	66,845,808	60,069,221	818,633,238
Montana	11,738,674	12,641,345	10,273,400	15,454,821	13,827,200	12,506,550	14,856,502	15,659,552	15,186,079	-	-	-	122,144,132
Nebraska	17,606,002	25,810,732	30,025,193	19,451,891	31,558,602	25,290,341	24,176,967	23,907,060	32,643,666	28,529,561	24,796,452	34,548,234	318,344,701
Nevada	18,255,018	16,317,328	15,526,257	20,162,667	22,251,329	13,390,024	21,479,971	21,626,604	13,953,169	23,254,968	19,554,071	17,414,799	223,186,205
New Hampshire	16,955,317	9,945,199	11,060,452	8,124,293	9,225,917	9,424,203	7,550,371	8,775,814	9,127,539	8,008,821	10,403,595	7,800,056	116,401,577
New Jersey	50,739,209	50,861,714	50,400,775	52,049,499	59,202,346	68,598,550	62,719,988	61,287,225	54,574,907	37,795,688	75,434,040	58,917,682	682,581,623
New Mexico	21,903,007	29,178,492	32,627,211	27,382,037	27,495,490	32,193,362	14,539,401	34,323,068	35,291,950	10,282,689	49,426,646	28,639,607	343,282,960
New York	54,221,899	54,337,578	52,734,572	59,513,874	68,482,595	68,899,583	68,552,524	69,960,523	69,960,523	76,001,571	-	-	640,790,316
North Carolina	74,865,703	49,390,051	76,733,759	84,054,338	63,861,230	78,164,952	79,203,211	54,962,604	80,833,374	83,452,695	55,688,826	77,616,472	858,827,215
North Dakota	9,753,834	10,476,035	9,747,924	10,399,163	14,204,605	12,749,503	11,895,030	13,428,456	14,496,203	15,061,166	13,605,089	10,942,640	146,759,648
Ohio	121,744,521	101,780,967	110,946,871	125,491,385	111,220,316	108,350,613	113,234,456	105,354,464	113,800,456	131,684,650	107,266,768	116,182,926	1,367,058,393
Oklahoma	51,927,462	45,188,422	46,208,678	50,758,312	45,327,850	50,403,702	47,873,177	53,392,920	58,052,242	48,782,281	44,917,127	-	542,832,173
Oregon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	100,252,595	92,759,384	93,296,654	108,647,780	105,083,149	95,970,284	104,095,852	101,631,597	122,036,000	1,148,505,677	99,858,129	99,348,463	2,271,485,564
Rhode Island	3,074,949	3,074,949	3,074,950	3,247,174	3,247,174	3,247,174	3,964,937	33,637,206	3,964,937	-	-	-	60,533,450
South Carolina	41,449,347	38,490,976	42,055,647	42,671,068	42,553,449	39,964,017	31,132,757	41,528,972	41,652,628	44,353,247	39,824,009	41,740,750	487,416,867
South Dakota	10,161,378	9,635,268	10,800,068	12,527,284	10,965,609	11,537,393	12,488,066	12,420,077	13,000,174	14,941,479	12,572,082	10,598,498	141,647,376
Tennessee	64,240,384	58,235,890	62,646,307	66,777,815	67,458,275	64,267,747	64,103,163	64,941,874	64,379,053	62,695,200	73,953,867	64,368,405	778,067,980
Texas	179,286,050	173,995,480	178,659,479	188,077,427	186,717,297	217,787,524	192,731,851	185,902,930	196,178,061	198,423,902	169,888,746	182,997,329	2,250,646,076
Utah	18,262,617	5,032,203	32,002,164	21,281,150	19,654,766	37,668,246	30,698,192	29,435,694	34,413,860	31,071,803	28,862,256	29,682,151	318,065,102
Vermont	5,969,517	12,815,181	5,455,401	4,279,060	3,959,668	5,289,498	1,667,367	3,373,293	12,075,668	7,573,379	5,261,741	10,140,781	77,860,554
Virginia	69,341,847	60,346,887	61,364,293	74,393,840	66,445,177	75,451,085	71,280,769	68,802,459	74,536,214	75,314,826	62,888,405	76,417,076	836,582,878
Washington	31,130,038	39,773,466	31,024,345	31,484,076	48,504,538	37,013,854	37,463,465	35,308,399	54,117,422	33,442,006	53,285,921	36,841,529	469,389,059
West Virginia	11,811,089	11,527,146	15,219,764	14,193,539	11,070,767	17,763,278	13,690,484	15,143,829	14,225,502	21,237,471	-	-	145,882,869
Wisconsin	49,735,537	42,757,487	43,371,992	51,859,264	60,013,424	50,259,794	55,377,012	52,454,278	51,546,961	60,959,838	53,299,703	50,337,272	621,972,562
Wyoming	14,967,060	27,529,762	18,343,115	18,010,617	21,458,949	21,458,949	19,941,378	23,224,789	9,765,694	37,119,160	26,637,137	21,689,347	260,145,957
U.S. Total 2/	2,195,375,027	2,062,334,135	2,248,870,919	2,469,586,185	2,512,687,412	2,427,344,153	2,491,545,660	2,366,931,235	2,430,608,306	3,425,177,316	2,283,336,776	1,759,103,239	28,672,900,363
Puerto Rico	37,010,056	2,965,784	22,000,894	11,025,322	14,714,410	31,083,743	44,676,350	11,958,889	13,907,074	19,712,323	16,558,460	14,255,950	239,869,255
Grand Total 2/	2,232,385,083	2,065,299,919	2,270,871,813	2,480,611,507	2,527,401,822	2,458,427,896	2,536,222,010	2,378,890,124	2,444,515,380	3,444,889,639	2,299,895,236	1,773,359,189	28,912,769,618

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# TAX RATES ON MOTOR FUEL - APRIL 1, 1998<sup>1</sup>

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SHEET 1 OF 2

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(CENTS PER GALLON)

STATE	GASOLINE		DIESEL		LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS		GASOHOL 2/		
	RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE	RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE	RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE	RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE	EXEMPTION
Alabama *	18	06/01/92	19	06/01/92	17	06/01/92	18	06/01/92	-
Alaska	8	07/01/61	8	07/01/61	-	-	-	-	8
Arizona *	18	07/01/90	27	07/01/90	18	07/01/90	18	07/01/90	-
Arkansas *	18.6	07/01/96	18.6	07/01/96	16.5	04/01/91	18.6	07/01/96	-
California *	18	01/01/94	18	01/01/94	6	01/01/76	18	01/01/94	-
Colorado *	22	01/01/91	20.5	01/01/92	20.5	01/01/92	22	01/01/91	-
Connecticut	36	07/01/97	18	09/01/91	-	07/01/96	35	07/01/97	1
Delaware *	23	01/01/95	22	01/01/95	22	01/01/95	23	01/01/95	-
Dist. of Col.	20	10/01/94	20	10/01/94	20	10/01/94	20	10/01/94	-
Florida *	13	01/01/98	25	01/01/98	16	01/01/98	13	01/01/98	-
Georgia	7.5	07/01/71	7.5	07/01/71	7.5	07/01/71	7.5	07/01/71	-
Hawaii	16	07/01/91	16	07/01/91	11	07/01/91	16	07/01/91	-
Idaho *	25	04/01/96	25	04/01/96	18.1	04/01/96	22.5	07/01/94	2.5
Illinois *	19	01/01/90	21.5	01/01/90	19	01/01/90	19	01/01/90	-
Indiana *	15	04/01/88	16	04/01/88	-	-	15	04/01/88	-
Iowa	20	01/01/89	22.5	01/01/89	20	01/01/89	19	01/01/89	1
Kansas *	18	07/01/92	20	07/01/92	17	07/01/92	18	07/01/92	-
Kentucky *	16.4	07/15/94	13.4	07/15/94	15	07/01/86	16.4	07/15/94	-
Louisiana *	20	01/01/90	20	01/01/90	16	07/01/93	20	01/01/90	-
Maine	19	07/17/91	20	04/01/89	18	07/17/91	19	07/17/91	-
Maryland	23.5	05/01/92	24.25	07/01/93	23.5	07/01/93	23.5	05/01/92	-
Massachusetts *	21	01/01/91	21	01/01/91	9.5	01/01/97	21	01/01/91	-
Michigan *	19	08/01/97	15	01/01/84	15	01/01/84	19	08/01/97	-
Minnesota *	20	05/01/88	20	05/01/88	15	07/01/95	20	05/01/88	-
Mississippi *	18.4	07/01/93	18.4	07/01/93	17	01/01/89	18.4	07/01/93	-
Missouri *	17	04/01/96	17	04/01/96	17	04/01/96	17	04/01/96	-
Montana *	27	07/01/94	27.75	07/01/94	-	-	27	07/01/94	-
Nebraska *	24.6	01/01/98	24.6	01/01/98	24.6	01/01/98	24.6	01/01/98	-
Nevada	24.75	1/01/97	27.75	1/01/97	22	07/01/97	24.75	1/01/97	-
New Hampshire *	19.5	07/01/95	19.5	07/01/95	18	06/16/91	19.5	07/01/95	-
New Jersey *	10.5	07/01/88	13.5	07/01/88	5.25	07/01/88	10.5	01/01/92	-
New Mexico *	18.875	07/01/96	19.875	07/01/96	6	01/01/98	18.875	07/01/96	-
New York *	22.65	01/01/98	21.85	01/01/98	8	10/01/90	22.65	01/01/98	-
North Carolina *	22.3	01/01/98	22.3	01/01/98	22.3	01/01/98	22.3	01/01/98	-
North Dakota *	20	01/01/98	20	01/01/98	20	01/01/98	20	01/01/98	-
Ohio *	22	07/01/93	22	07/01/93	22	07/01/93	22	07/01/93	-
Oklahoma *	17	07/01/89	14	07/01/89	17	07/01/89	17	07/01/89	-
Oregon *	24	01/01/93	24	01/01/93	24	01/01/93	24	09/01/93	-
Pennsylvania *	25.9	10/01/97	30.8	10/01/97	18.9	10/01/97	25.9	10/01/97	-
Rhode Island *	29	07/08/94	29	07/08/94	29	07/08/94	29	07/08/94	-
South Carolina	16	01/01/89	16	01/01/89	16	01/01/89	16	01/01/91	-
South Dakota *	21	05/01/97	21	05/01/97	19	05/01/97	19	05/01/97	2
Tennessee *	20	04/01/89	17	04/01/90	14	04/01/89	20	04/01/89	-
Texas *	20	10/01/91	20	10/01/91	15	01/01/87	20	10/01/91	-
Utah *	24.5	07/01/97	24.5	07/01/97	24.5	07/01/97	24.5	07/01/97	-
Vermont *	20	08/01/97	17	07/01/89	-	-	20	08/01/97	-
Virginia *	17.5	07/01/92	16	07/01/92	10	01/01/94	17.5	07/01/92	-
Washington *	23	04/01/91	23	04/01/91	-	-	23	05/01/94	-
West Virginia *	25.35	05/01/93	25.35	05/01/93	25.35	05/01/93	25.35	05/01/93	-
Wisconsin *	23.8	04/01/97	23.8	04/01/97	23.8	04/01/97	23.8	04/01/97	-
Wyoming *	9	07/01/89	9	07/01/89	-	-	9	01/01/95	-
Mean	19.94		19.86		14.841		19.658		
Weighted Avg.	19.105		19.462		13.94		19.785		
Federal Tax	18.4	10/01/97	24.4	10/01/97	13.6	10/01/97	13.0	10/01/97	5.4

# TAX RATES ON MOTOR FUEL - APRIL 1, 1998<sup>1</sup>

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STATE	SALES TAX	
	PERCENT	REMARKS
Alabama	4	Applies to fuel not taxable under volume tax laws.
Arizona	5	Applies to fuel not taxed under the motor-fuel or use-fuel taxes. Liquefied petroleum gas sold, used or stored in State is exempt.
Arkansas	4.5	Special fuel for municipal buses and gasoline are exempt.
California	6	Applies to sales price including Federal and State motor-fuel taxes.
Colorado	3	Applies to fuel not taxable under volume tax laws.
Connecticut	5	Applies to petroleum products gross earnings.
Dist. of Col.	5.75	Applies to fuel not taxable under volume tax laws.
Georgia	4	A 3-percent "second motor-fuel tax" and a 1-percent sales tax apply to sales price including Federal motor-fuel tax.
Hawaii	4	Applies to sales price excluding Federal and State motor-fuel taxes. Alcohol fuels are exempt.
Idaho	5	Fuels subject to the motor fuel volume tax are exempt.
Illinois	6.25	Applies to sales price excluding Federal and State motor-fuel taxes. For gasohol, only 70 percent of the price is subject to sales tax.
Indiana	5	Applies to sales price excluding Federal and State motor-fuel taxes.
Iowa	5	Applies to fuel not taxable under fuel tax laws, including those fuels taxable, then subject to refund.
Kansas	4.9	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Kentucky	6	Applies to sales price, exclusive of Federal tax, of fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Louisiana	4	Fuels subject to volume tax are exempt. Gasohol is exempt if alcohol produced in State.
Maine	6	Applies to motor fuel not taxed at the maximum rate for highway use under the volume tax laws.
Maryland	5	Applies to motor fuel not taxed under other Maryland laws.
Massachusetts	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Michigan	6	Applies to sales price including Federal volume tax except when used in a passenger vehicle with capacity of 10 or more for hire over regularly scheduled routes in State.
Minnesota	6	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Nebraska	5	Gasoline is exempt. Diesel and alternative fuels subject to the volume tax are exempt.
New Mexico	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws. Ethanol blends deductible under the gasoline tax laws are exempt.
New York	4	Applies to sales price including Federal motor-fuel tax.
North Dakota	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Ohio	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Oklahoma	4.5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Pennsylvania	6	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
South Carolina	5	Applies to sales price of aviation gasoline only.
South Dakota	4	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Tennessee *	6	Gasoline on which the volume tax has been paid and not refunded and motor fuel subject to the use fuel tax are exempt.
Texas	6.25	Applies to fuels not taxed or exempted under other laws.
Utah	4.875	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Washington	6.5	Applies fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws. Certain providers of public transportation of handicapped persons are exempt.
Wisconsin	5	Applies to fuels not taxable under the volume tax laws.
Wyoming	4	Applies to sales price of LPG. Gasoline and diesel subject to volume tax are exempt.

1/ This table shows motor-fuel tax rates in effect as of January 1, and any subsequent changes that have occurred through the date shown in the title. Only taxes that are levied as a dollar amount per volume of motor fuel are included on sheet 1. Taxes that apply to all petroleum products without distinguishing motor fuel are omitted. Local option taxes are included only when they have been adopted uniformly Statewide. For States marked with an asterisk, see the notes below:

Alabama - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include a 2¢ per gallon inspection fee. Alabama-registered LPG vehicles pay an annual fee based on vehicle type in lieu of the volume tax.

Arizona-There is an 8¢ per gallon surcharge on use fuel used to propel a use class motor vehicle. A use class motor vehicle is a truck with more than two axes or with a declared gross vehicle weight over 26,000 pounds.

Arkansas - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 0.2 ¢ per gallon Environmental Assurance Fee. Applicants for LPG user permits must pay a fee in lieu of the volume tax.

California - LPG users may pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.

Colorado - Owners of LPG vehicles registered in the State must pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.

Delaware - Rates are variable, adjusted annually.

Connecticut - The tax is computed on the gross earnings from the first sale of a petroleum product in the State, applies to wide variety of petroleum products.

Florida - Tax rates are variable, adjusted annually. For gasoline and gasohol, in addition to the rates shown, there is a State-imposed State Comprehensive Enhanced Transportation System (SCETS) tax that varies by county from 0-4.7¢ per gallon. All but 1 county levy the SCETS tax on gasoline, but 10 levy less than the maximum rate. LPG vehicles registered in the State pay an annual fee in lieu of the tax on alternative fuels and the SCETS tax.

Idaho - LPG users may pay an annual fee based on vehicle weight in lieu of volume tax.

Illinois - Motor carriers pay an additional 6.3¢ per gallon on gasoline, 6.5¢ on diesel, and 5.9¢ on LPG.

Indiana - Motor carriers pay an additional 11¢ per gallon. LPG vehicles pay an annual fee.

Kansas - LPG users may pay an annual fee based on mileage and gross vehicle weight in lieu of the volume tax.

Kentucky - Tax rates are variable, adjusted quarterly. A 2% surtax is imposed on gasoline and 4.7% on special fuels for any vehicle with 3 or more axes. The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 1.4¢ per gallon Petroleum Environmental Assurance Fee.

Louisiana - Owners of LPG vehicles of 10,000 pounds or less gross vehicle weight pay an annual fee based on mileage.

Massachusetts - Tax rates are variable, adjusted quarterly.

Michigan - For vehicles defined under the Motor Carrier Fuel Tax Act, diesel fuel is discounted 6 cents per gallon at the pump; and is assessed a 12 cents per gallons surcharge on a quarterly return, with a provision for a 6 cent per gallon refund on fuel purchased in Michigan.

Minnesota - There is a credit to the wholesaler of 15¢ per gallon of alcohol used to make gasohol.

Mississippi - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 0.4¢ per gallon dedicated to the Groundwater Protection Trust Fund.

Missouri - LPG vehicles 18,000 pounds or less gross vehicle weight registered in the State pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.

Montana - LPG vehicles registered in the State pay an annual fee based on gross weight in lieu of the volume tax. Out-of-State vehicles purchase trip permits. There is an alcohol distiller credit of 30¢ per gallon of alcohol produced in the State with State agricultural products and used to make gasohol.

Nebraska - Rates are variable, adjusted quarterly. The gasoline and gasohol include 0.6¢ per gallon and diesel rate includes 0.2¢ per gallon Petroleum Release Remedial Action Fee.

New Hampshire - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 0.7¢ per gallon Oil Discharge and Disposal/Cleanup Fee. Alternative fuel vehicles pay twice the usual registration fee in lieu of the volume tax.

New Jersey - In addition to the rates shown, there is a Petroleum Products Gross Receipts Tax. The tax is computed on a cents-per-gallon basis and is applicable to a wide variety of petroleum products.

New Mexico - The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include the Petroleum Products Loading Fee of \$150 per 8,000 gallons (1.875¢ per gallon). Rate was \$80 per 8,000 gallons (1¢ per gallon) prior to 7/1/96. Owners of LPG-powered vehicles up to 54,000 pounds gross vehicle weight may pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.

New York - Rates are variable, adjusted annually. There is an additional tax on motor carriers of 8.5¢ per gallon of gasoline and 9.6¢ on diesel. Rates include the Petroleum Business Tax of 14¢ per gallon. The gasoline rate includes a 0.5 mill (0.05¢) per gallon Petroleum Testing Fee.

North Carolina - Rates are variable, adjusted semiannually.

North Dakota - A special excise tax of 2% is imposed on all sales of special fuel (diesel or LPG) that are exempted from the volume tax if the fuel is sold for use in the State. There is a producer credit of 40¢ per gallon of agriculturally derived alcohol produced in the State and used to make gasohol.

Ohio - Commercial vehicles formerly subject to the highway use tax pay an additional 3¢ per gallon. Dealers are refunded 10¢ per gallon of each qualified fuel (ethanol or methanol) blended with unleaded gasoline.

Oklahoma - Rates shown include 1¢ per gallon tax dedicated to the Petroleum Underground Tank Release Environmental Cleanup Indemnity Fund. When the Fund reaches specified balance, future tax revenues will be deposited in a highway fund. The gasoline, gasohol, and LPG rates include 0.08¢ for fuel inspection. LPG users may pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.

Oregon - The diesel and LPG rates shown are paid by users for vehicles not under the jurisdiction of Public Utility Commissioner. Vehicles under the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commissioner and paying motor-carrier fees are exempt from payment of the motor-fuel tax.

Pennsylvania - The rates include the Oil Franchise Tax for Maintenance and Construction, a variable rate tax adjusted monthly. Motor carriers pay an additional 6¢ per gallon. LPG rate based on gasoline gallon equivalent.

Rhode Island - Rates are variable, adjusted quarterly. Rates includes 1¢ per gallon tax for the Underground Storage Tank Financial Responsibility Fund.

South Dakota - There is a credit at the rate of the gasoline tax to distributors blending gasoline with ethanol to produce gasohol. There is also a producer incentive payment of 20¢ per gallon.

Tennessee - LPG users without permits must pay in advance at the beginning of the fiscal year; others pay quarterly. Fee is based on vehicle weight and fuel efficiency. Sales tax rate on aviation fuel is 4.5 percent.

Texas - Owners of LPG vehicles registered in the State must pay an annual fee in lieu of the volume tax.

Utah - LPG is tax exempt if user purchases annual exemption certificate.

Vermont - Diesel vehicles 10,000 pounds and over pay 26¢ per gallon. LPG vehicles are subject to a registration fee 1.75 times the usual fee. The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 1¢ per gallon for the Petroleum Cleanup Fund.

Virginia - Vehicles weighting 26,000 pounds or more or having 3 or more axes pay an additional 3.5¢ per gallon.

Washington - Owners of LPG vehicles pay an annual fee.

West Virginia - Rates are variable, adjusted annually.

Wisconsin - Rates are variable, adjusted annually.

Wyoming - LPG is subject to sales tax. The gasoline, gasohol, and diesel rates include 1¢ for the Underground Storage Tank Corrective Action Account.

2/ The gasohol rates shown are for gasoline blended with 10 percent ethanol.

**MOTOR FUEL TAX RATES  
FOR SELECTED COUNTRIES<sup>1</sup>  
AS OF MARCH 16, 1998**

(CENTS PER GALLON)

COUNTRY	GASOLINE	DIESEL
Belgium	249	136
France	272	165
Germany	238	141
Italy	253	175
Netherlands	251	154
United Kingdom	299	268
Japan	175	109
United States 2/	38	44

1/ Source for foreign rates is data collected by the U.S. Department of Energy from various sources. Rates were converted to U.S. currency using current exchange rates.

2 / Includes the weighted average of State taxes as shown on Table MF-121T plus the Federal tax.

## **Note to Users of Monthly Motor-Fuel “Retail Price” Data:**

Beginning with the January 1997 issue, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) reinstituted motor fuel price data using data collected by the U. S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration (EIA) as the source for Table MF-5, “Retail Prices of Motor Fuel”. The EIA Table 31 - “Motor Gasoline Prices by Grade, Sales Type, PAD District (Cents per Gallon Excluding Taxes)” will be used as the base information for the FHWA Table MF-5. The EIA data, which is based on the EIA-782 survey, was implemented in 1983 to fulfill EIA legislative requirements and community data needs. The FHWA will follow EIA protocols and requirements in making the data available to “Monthly Motor Fuel” customers.

Because the “Sales to End Users - Through Retail Outlets” data does not include Federal, State, and local taxes, FHWA will add Federal motor fuel and State motor fuel taxes to the EIA data. Federal Highway User Taxes (Table FE-21B) and State Tax Rates on Motor Fuel ( Table MF-121T) are the FHWA sources for this data. Excluded from the total are other taxes such as local taxes and sales taxes applied to motor fuel, etc.

Users of Table MF-5 should consult the “Explanatory Notes” of the EIA Publication “Petroleum Marketing Monthly” (DOE/EIA-0380) before making use of the retail price information. The “Explanatory Notes” contain important information on the design of the sample, the continuity of the data, collection methods processing, non-disclosure, and revisions.

Pre-January 1997 retail price data was furnished by a source other than EIA. Because the sample design, collection methods, processing, and other data considerations differ between the two sources, users are particularly cautioned not to make direct comparisons of the data using previous MF-5 retail price data for any trend line comparisons.

# RETAIL PRICES OF MOTOR FUEL - 1998<sup>1</sup>

## (SALES TO END USERS - THROUGH RETAIL OUTLETS)

TABLE MF-5  
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(CENTS PER GALLON)

STATE	JANUARY			FEBRUARY			MARCH			APRIL			MAY			JUNE		
	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE	REGULAR GASOLINE	MIDGRADE GASOLINE	PREMIUM GASOLINE
Alabama	105.3	114.5	122.5															
Alaska	139.8	145.2	148.8															
Arizona	121.9	131.1	142.7															
Arkansas	101.7	110.9	118.5															
California	114.8	123.8	133.2															
Colorado	119.3	131.4	137.8															
Connecticut	126.9	136.7	146.8															
Delaware	112.0	122.6	131.4															
Dist. of Col. 1/	W	W	W															
Florida	97.6	108.3	116.0															
Georgia	86.5	95.6	104.9															
Hawaii	145.1	151.0	161.4															
Idaho	124.8	133.2	139.7															
Illinois	103.6	109.3	118.0															
Indiana	97.0	103.5	110.2															
Iowa	103.7	108.2	112.0															
Kansas	98.9	104.7	112.1															
Kentucky	100.3	109.3	117.2															
Louisiana	106.5	117.0	124.7															
Maine	114.2	124.3	132.9															
Maryland	113.2	121.6	127.7															
Massachusetts	114.4	124.5	131.6															
Michigan	98.1	104.8	110.8															
Minnesota	114.3	120.2	126.6															
Mississippi	106.1	115.3	124.1															
Missouri	94.9	102.7	111.4															
Montana	126.8	133.2	137.5															
Nebraska	106.9	112.7	119.7															
Nevada	NA	135.7	140.8															
New Hampshire	110.8	120.6	129.6															
New Jersey	100.3	111.4	119.1															
New Mexico	118.6	127.1	134.4															
New York	113.3	122.4	129.3															
North Carolina	105.4	116.0	125.4															
North Dakota	113.0	120.7	120.4															
Ohio	105.4	112.6	120.8															
Oklahoma	95.7	101.2	107.0															
Oregon 1/	122.5	132.2	141.0															
Pennsylvania	109.8	118.4	127.0															
Rhode Island	116.2	126.3	133.8															
South Carolina	95.6	106.1	115.0															
South Dakota	111.1	116.4	121.4															
Tennessee	101.1	111.4	119.7															
Texas	103.2	113.4	121.0															
Utah	117.5	125.6	134.3															
Vermont	111.4	120.8	129.1															
Virginia	104.0	113.6	125.6															
Washington	119.2	129.8	140.1															
West Virginia	111.1	120.4	128.5															
Wisconsin	108.4	115.7	120.3															
Wyoming	105.9	112.6	117.2															
U.S. Average																		
Diesel 2/	1.111																	

1/ Gasoline prices are taken from the U. S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration's Petroleum Marketing Monthly Report, Table 31 - Motor Gasoline Prices by Grade, Sales Type, PAD District (Cents per Gallon Excluding Taxes). Taxes have been included using Federal Highway Administration's Table MF-121T - Tax Rates on Motor Fuel and Table FE-21B Federal Highway User Taxes. Data may be withheld or not available for a few States monthly because of non-disclosure.

2/ Diesel prices are averages from a survey conducted by the U.S. Department of Energy, Energy Information Administration and reflect prices in the last week of the month shown. State level information is not available, but regional level information is updated weekly (on Mondays) and may be obtained by dialing the National Energy Information Center's fuel price hotline at 202-586-6966.